



RECEIVED

OCT 07 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: POONAM SALOTRA, ET AL

SERIAL NO.: 10/086,184

GROUP NO.: 1645

FILED: FEBRUARY 27, 2002

EXAMINER. --

FOR: SPECIES-SPECIFIC PCR ASSAY FOR DETECTION OF LEISHMANIA  
DONOVANI IN CLINICAL SAMPLES OF KALA-AZAR AND POST KALA-  
AZAR DERMAL LEISHMANIASIS

Attorney Docket No.: U 013891-8

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

NOV 14 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Please direct all communication to:

LADAS & PARRY  
26 WEST 61<sup>ST</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10023  
Respectfully submitted,CLIFFORD J. MASS  
LADAS & PARRY  
26 WEST 61<sup>ST</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10023  
REG.NO.30086(212)708-1930CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a) and 1.10\**(When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is mandatory;  
Express Mail certification is optional.)*

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being:

**MAILING**

- ☒ deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.  
37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

37 C.F.R. 1.10\*

- ☒ with sufficient postage as first class mail.

- ☐ as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee"  
Mailing Label No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(mandatory)

**TRANSMISSION**

- ☐ transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office.

Signature

CLIFFORD J. MASS

(type or print name of person certifying)

Date: September 30, 2002

**\*WARNING:** Each paper or fee filed by "Express Mail" must have the number of the "Express Mail" mailing label placed thereon prior to mailing. 37 C.F.R. 1.10(b).  
"Since the filing of correspondence under § 1.10 without the Express Mail mailing label